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## **RESOLUTION NO. 2003-\_\_**

## A RESOLUTION OF THE LEON COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ADOPTING EMS RATES TO BE CHARGED RECIPIENTS OF EMS SERVICES

WHEREAS, the Leon County Board of County Commissioners is committed to providing Emergency Medical Services to all the residents of Leon County effective no later than January 1, 2004; and,

WHEREAS, the Board desires to provide the most highly efficient service to all residents; and,

WHEREAS, the Board recognizes that in order to provide this service that users of the system must pay a fee; and,

WHEREAS, the Board engaged a national expert in developing a fiscal plan for implementing the County's system; and,

WHEREAS, the national expert utilized a series of rates in establishing a first year budget for Leon County; and,

WHEREAS, the Board desires that rates should be adjusted annually to address normal inflationary increases

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOVLED** by the Board of County Commissioners that effective immediately the EMS Rates to be charged by Leon County to recipients of services which are effective through September 30, 2004, are hereby designated below:

Type of Service	Rate
Stand-by, 2 staff with vehicle, 3 hour minimum	\$100.00/hr
Stand-by, 1 staff no vehicle, 3 hour minimum	\$50.00/hr
First Aid/Assessment	\$250.00
Basic Life Support Non Emergency Base	\$363.00
Basic Life Support Emergency Base	\$604.00
Advanced Life Support-1 Non Emergency Base	\$483.00
Advanced Life Support-1 Emergency Base	\$725.00
Advanced Life Support-2 Base	\$846.00
Specialty Care Transport Base	\$846.00
Mileage	\$11.33 per mile

Be it further resolved that effective October 1, 2004 and every subsequent October 1 the rates shall be increased by the Consumer Price Index, US City Average, Medical Care as reported by the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics or its successor index and that the increased base rates shall be rounded to the nearest one whole dollar and that the mileage increase shall be rounded to the nearest whole cent.

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ATTEST: Bob Inzer, Clerk of the Court Leon County, Florida	LEON COUNTY, FLORIDA
BY:	BY:  Jane G. Sauls, Chairman  Board of County Commissioners
APPROVED AS TO FORM: Leon County Attorney's Office	
BY: Herbert W.A. Thiele, Esq. County Attorney	